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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Re: Application of Takao KUWABARA  
IMAGE DATA CREATING METHOD AND APPARATUS  
Assignee: **FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.**  
Our Ref. Q78505

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising forty-two (42) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, fourteen (14) sheets of drawings, a copy of an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	17	-	20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	4	-	3	=	1	x	\$86.00	=	\$86.00
Base Fee									\$770.00

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<b>\$856.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b>\$896.00</b>



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Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$856.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2002-335204	November 19, 2002

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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